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THE FOLLOWING SENT ACTION USIA WASHDC JUL 22 REPEATED  
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E.O. 11652: N/A  
SUBJECT: NON-ALIGNED BROADCASTING CONFERENCE--SARAJEVO, OCTOBER  
27-30

1. YUGOSLAV PRESS HAS ANNOUNCED THAT IN ACCORDANCE WITH THE  
RECOMMENDATION OF THE COORDINATING BUREAU OF THE NON-ALIGNED  
COUNTRIES, A CONFERENCE OF BROADCASTING ORGANIZATIONS OF NON-  
ALIGNED COUNTRIES WILL BE HELD IN SARAJEVO FROM OCTOBER 27-30.  
USIC DIRECTOR-SARAJEVO TALKED WITH OFFICIALS OF TV SARAJEVO,  
WHICH HAS BEEN DESIGNATED OFFICIAL HOST AND ORGANIZER OF CONFERENCE.  
HE REPORTS THAT CONFERENCE WILL CONSIST OF A NUMBER OF PLENARY  
AND WORKING SESSIONS, WITH LATTER FORMED TO DISCUSS METHODS OF  
EXCHANGE OF RADIO-TV NEWS, TECHNICAL PROBLEMS IN PROGRAM EXCHANGES,  
ORGANIZATION OF COOPERATIVE NEWS EXCHANGES AMONG NON-ALIGNED, AND  
FINANCING OF SUCH EXCHANGES. ALL PARTICIPANTS IN IPLOMBO NAC  
WILL BE INVITED TO PARTICIPATE IN SARAJEVO. GUEST OBSERVERS WILL  
INCLUDE CORRESPONDENTS STATIONED IN YUGOSLAVIA, REPRESENTATIVES  
OF MAJOR NEWS SERVICES, REPRESENTATIVES FROM EMBASSIES, OFFICIALS  
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FROM THE UNITED NATIONS AND OTHER MULTI-NATIONAL ORGANIZATIONS,  
AND "OTHER SPECIAL GUESTS."

2. YUGOSLAV NATIONAL FRONT ORGANIZATION, SOCIALIST  
ALLIANCE OF WORKING PEOPLE OF YUGOSLAVIA (SWAPY), HAS  
STATED ITS BELIEF THAT SARAJEVO MEETING SHOULD "POINT  
OUT THE SITUATION AND THE PROBLEMS OF MONOPOLISTIC

RELATIONSHIPS, AND THE ONE-SIDED INEQUALITY IN BROADCAST COMMUNICATIONS. THERE WILL BE INCREASING EMPHASIS ON THE STRUGGLE BETWEEN THE FORCES ONF NON-ALIGNMENT, EMANCIPATION, AND EQUAL INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND THE FORCEE WHICH DESIRE TO MAINTAIN AND ENLARGE ALL KINDS OF PRIVILEGED POSITIONS AND OMINATION."

3. ACTION REQUESTED: POST WOULD APPRECIATE UP-DATED INFO-GUIDES OR OTHER MATERIALS RELEVANT TO CURRENT U.S. POSITION VIS A VIS THIRD WORLD NEWS AGENCIES AND POOL ARRANGEMENTS.  
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